

## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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## TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of Rudolf HANSL ET AL  
FOR: LOAD-BEARING FRAME FOR A SHELF-STACKING DEVICE

## ENCLOSED ARE:

- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of formal drawing(s)  
☐ sheet(s) of informal drawing(s)  
☒ an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to  
TGW TRANSPORTGERATE GmbH & CO. KG  
☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 for the following application(s):  
AUSTRIA Patent Appln. No. A1893/2002 FILED ON 18 DECEMBER 2002  
☐ a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed.  
☒ a certified copy of the aforesaid application will be submitted in due course.  
☐ Associate Power of Attorney enclosed.

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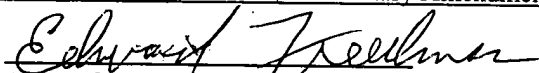
## CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	28 - 20	8	X \$18.00	\$ 144.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - 3	0	X \$86.00	\$ 0.00
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- ☐ Applicant claims Small Entity status.  
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☐ the filing fee  
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☒ Other Declaration and Power of Attorney: IDS with PTO form 1449; Preliminary Amendment

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